

in which:

X denotes a halogen atom

R denotes a hydrogen atom,

an alkyl group,

a hydroxyalkyl group,

- and at least one polyol chosen from non-etherified polyols, C₁-C₁₀ (poly)alkyl or

C₂-C₂₀ (poly)alkenyl polyol ethers and glycosyl polyol ethers; the polyol being saturated or

unsaturated, linear, branched or cyclic, bearing or not bearing a hetero atom, and bearing or not

bearing additional chemical functions chosen from carbonyl and carboxyl functions.

Add the following claim

--23. (new) A method of treating inflammatory and/or desquamating skin disorders associated with *Malassezia* spp comprising applying the composition of Claim 1 to the skin or scalp of a person in need of said treatment.--

REMARKS

Reconsideration is requested.

Claims 1-13 and 18-22, are pending. Upon entry of the above amendments, claims 1-13 and 18-23 will be pending. Entry of the above amendment is requested. The claims have been amended to advance prosecution by placing the claims in condition for allowance. Entry of the amendments is requested. The applicants note an additional dependent claim has been added, based on the disclosure at the top of page 6 of the specification, without canceling a corresponding claim. This claim, which is dependent on claim 1, is not believed to raise new